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Results from the 2009 FDIC National Survey of Unbanked and Underbanked Households

Summary Table: Northeast Region

					Has a Bank Account						
									Underbanked		
	All Households		Unbanked		Underbanked		Not Underbanked		Status Unknown		
Household Characteristic	Number	Pct of Row	Number	Pct of Row	Number	Pct of Row	Number	Pct of Row	Number	Pct of Row	
	(1000s)	Total	(1000s)	Total	(1000s)	Total	(1000s)	Total	(1000s)	Total	
All Households	21,611	100.0	1,490				15,649		993		
Race/Ethnicity											
Black	2,705	100.0	600	22.2	802	29.6	1,158	42.8	146	5.4	
Hispanic non-Black	1,760	100.0	383			22.5	918		63		
White non-Black non-Hispanic	15,943	100.0	450	2.8	2,162	13.6	12,640	79.3	691	4.3	
Other non-Black non-Hispanic	1,202	100.0	57	4.7	120	9.9	933	77.6	94	7.8	
Household Type											
Family household	14,230	100.0	865	6.1	2,417	17.0	10,295	72.3	654	4.6	
Married couple	10,501	100.0	243	2.3	1,464	13.9	8,337	79.4	456		
Female householder, no husband present	2,724	100.0	481	17.6	676	24.8	1,435	52.7	132	4.9	
Male householder, no wife present	1,005	100.0	141	14.0	277	27.5	522	51.9	65	6.5	
Nonfamily household and other	7,381	100.0	625	8.5	1,062	14.4	5,354	72.5	340	4.6	
Household Income (Primary Family or Individual)											
Less than \$15,000	2,704	100.0	658	24.3	517	19.1	1,463	54.1	67	2.5	
Between \$15,000 and \$30,000	2,665	100.0	293	11.0	528	19.8	1,757	66.0	86	3.2	
Between \$30,000 and \$50,000	3,397	100.0	139	4.1	749	22.1	2,385	70.2	124	3.7	
Between \$50,000 and \$75,000	3,360	100.0	80	2.4	629	18.7	2,562	76.3	89	2.6	
At least \$75,000	5,631	100.0	16	0.3	618	11.0	4,808	85.4	189	3.4	
Unknown	3,853	100.0	304	7.9	438	11.4	2,673	69.4	439	11.4	
Education											
No high school degree	2,574	100.0	529	20.6	510	19.8	1,357	52.7	178	6.9	
High school degree	6,685	100.0	548	8.2	1,217	18.2	4,645	69.5	274	4.1	
Some college	4,914	100.0	252	5.1	987	20.1	3,440	70.0	236	4.8	
College degree (four year)	7,438	100.0	161	2.2	765	10.3	6,207	83.4	305	4.1	
Age											
15 to 34 years	4,267	100.0	523	12.3	751	17.6	2,739	64.2	254	6.0	
35 to 44 years	3,950	100.0	312	7.9	758	19.2	2,728	69.1	152	3.8	
45 to 54 years	4,717	100.0	305	6.5	828	17.5	3,414	72.4	170		
55 to 64 years	3,732	100.0	154	4.1	608	16.3	2,813	75.4	158		
65 years or more	4,944	100.0	196	4.0	534	10.8	3,954	80.0	260	5.3	
Homeownership											
Homeowner	13,864	100.0	160			12.9	11,318	81.6	602		
Non-homeowner	7,747	100.0	1,329	17.2	1,695	21.9	4,331	55.9	392	5.1	

Notes:

Households are identified as unbanked if they answered "no" to the question, "Do you or does anyone in your household currently have a checking or savings account?"

Underbanked households are defined as those that have a checking or savings account but rely on alternative financial services. Specifically, underbanked households have used non-bank money orders, non-bank check-cashing services, payday loans, rent-to-own agreements, or pawn shops at least once or twice a year or refund anticipation loans at least once in the past five years.

The demographic characteristics of a household are taken to be those of the owner or renter of the home (i.e., "householder"), unless the demographic characteristic is one defined at the household level, such as income or household type.

 $Refer to Appendix D of the full report, FDIC \underline{Technical Notes} for definitions of race/ethnicity, family household, and other terms used in this table.$

 $Differences \ within \ groups \ may \ or \ may \ not \ be \ statistically \ significant.$

 $Figures\ do\ not\ always\ reconcile\ to\ totals\ because\ of\ the\ rounding\ of\ household\ weights\ to\ represent\ the\ population\ totals.$

The U.S. Census Bureau classifies the United States into four regions (Northeast, Midwest, South, and West). The Northeast region comprises Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island and Vermont.